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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No: 09/939,543 )  
Applicant: Todd Schweitzer )  
Filed: August 27, 2001 )  
Title: WATERTIGHT )  
ELECTRODELESS )  
IRRADIATION )  
APPARATUS AND )  
METHOD FOR )  
IRRADIATING )  
PACKAGING PRODUCTS )  
TC/A.U.: 2853 )  
Examiner: Lam S. Nguyen )  
Docket No.: T-3827 )

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In the Official Action of July 25, 2003, Claim 3 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112

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as lacking a proper antecedent basis. This Amendment is submitted to correct this defect.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.